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Chautauqua Week in Hopkinsville May 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 31

STOCK BARN BURNED

Valuable Contents Also Consumed---Blaze in The City.

A large stock barn, together with contents, consisting of corn, hay, gear, etc., belonging to M. M. Jordan, near Apex, was destroyed by fire recently. The loss amounted to several hundred dollars, with partial insurance. It is not known how the flames originated.

SMALL BLAZE IN CITY.

The kitchen roof in the rear of the residence of Mr. George Kolb caught on fire Tuesday afternoon and the fire department was called out, but the flames were extinguished by a few buckets of water. The loss is small.

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When the summer time is here,
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When the corn is in the ear,
In the winter cold and drear;
Every season of the year,
Drag the roads.
When you've nothing else to do,
Drag the roads;
If but for an hour or two,
Drag the roads;
It will keep them as good as new;
With a purpose firm and true,
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In This Paper

LEADER OF HIS RACE

Jared Hawkins, Oldest Colored Grocer in Kentucky, Passes Away.

Jared R. Hawkins, one of the most prominent colored men in the city died Monday night after an illness of six months, aged 68 years. He was born in Hopkinsville in 1852, a slave of the late Gabriel Long.

He was industrious and frugal and in 1877 went into the grocery business with his earnings and for nearly 40 years had been in business practically at the same stand. He had suffered by fires on two occasions, but re-opened at the same stand. He was a capable and clever business man, thoroughly honest and upright and numbered many white people among his customers.

He was a lifelong member of the colored Methodist church and had been an officer in the church for 49 years. He was also a charter member of the colored Odd Fellows lodge. He was without exception to be found on the moral side of every question. He enjoyed to a remarkable degree the respect and confidence of the people of both races. His funeral services were held at Freeman's Chapel at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His body was buried in the Union Benevolent cemetery on the Gainesville hill.

Popular Mechanics for June.

In the number and nature of its illustrations, the June Popular Mechanics Magazine surpasses many previous numbers of a periodical that is always remarkable in this respect. Among the 334 pictures the magazine contains there are eleven consecutive pages of the latest views from the European conflict, besides a number of snapshots taken by an amateur photographer from the steamship "Falaba" at the time it was torpedoed by the Germans. The work of locating the United States submarine "F-4" which sank during maneuvers in Honolulu harbor is shown a page group of views. It was here that the world's diving record was broken by one of the men who descended 283 feet. Other page views and groups of views show the Arrowrock Dam, now almost ready for use; the construction of a highway across Storm King Mountain, on the Hudson River; Blackfeet Indians preparing a pictorial history of their tribe; the dreadnaught "Wyoming" steaming on a high sea; a curious feature of a Business festival, etc.

"The Submarine Freight Train," an invention of Simon Lake, by means of which submarine torpedo boats may be supplied with fuel and food at the bottom of the sea, enabling them to operate in hostile waters for an indefinite period, is described by Frank Parker Stockbridge. It is said that the only way the enemy could detect what was going on would be by observation from an aeroplane. Just how many of these novel supply trains are in use and by what nations, are military secrets.

Driving Horses and Family Horses for Sale.

C. H. LAYNE.

Old newspapers for sale here.

"FIGHTING BOB" LA FOLLETTE FOR OUR CHAUTAUQUA



SENATOR ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE OF WISCONSIN.

In the Senate today, and in the thought of the American people, the greatest leader of fundamental democracy is Senator La Follette of Wisconsin. For the past fifteen years he has unrelentingly fought the people's battles both in his home state and in national affairs at Washington. It seems probable now that he will be picked as the standard-bearer of his party in the next presidential race. At our forthcoming Chautauqua he will lecture on "Representative Government," a subject which he is well qualified to discuss. Sen. La Follette will appear on the closing day of the Chautauqua.

Away Out In The Country.

(S. E. Kiser.)

Away out in the country, where there is no ceaseless roar
Where it's eight miles to the railroad and it's three miles to the store,
There is hope and there is pleasure
And perhaps some maiden there,
Has contrived to make somebody think her fairest of the fair.

Away out in the country, where the fragrant lilacs blow
There are people who have never seen a moving picture show;
But they may not need your pity,
Though the thrills they have are few;
They may go to bed untroubled by such cares as come to you.

Away out in the country where the woods are full of song
And the hens are cackling loudly and few men are going wrong,
There are people who are never filled with fear or discontent
When the grocer wants his money or it's time to pay the rent.

Away out in the country, where no mobs disturb the peace
There are people who are happy, though their neighbors' gains increase.

There are men and there are women who believe life is sweet,
Though they aren't busy spending all on what they wear and eat.

The total circulation of money in the United States last year was \$3,419,168,368.

An Even Dozen.

Two boys on Judge Joe McCarroll's farm captured a female opossum and a litter of eleven young ones, in the chicken house, one night this week. Most of the young ones concealed themselves in the mother's pouch when discovered and all were easily captured. They are thriving in captivity.

World Learns Slowly.

Landsmen, as well as mariners who a few centuries ago sailed round the earth, should have observed, even with a little travelling, that objects such as mountains, hills, towers, trees, etc., which had not been sooner seen, suddenly began to come into view, then to grow higher and higher as they were approached until their full height appeared, thus duplicating the appearance and disappearance of ships at sea. Yet through ages these simple phenomena, proving beyond doubt the rotundity of earth, to say nothing of eclipses, which showed the circular shadow of earth on the moon, taught little or nothing to the greatest of men, to say nothing of the merely shrewd ones; and there are many people clever in everyday affairs of life today who still cling to the ignorance of ancients and of years so modern as those of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries.

Cause and Effect.

"I wonder why the average among us have such an itching for wealth?" "Very likely it is because we have to scratch for a living."

Water-proof shoulder pads and body shields for the use of men who carry ice or meat have been patented.

AUTO TRUCK ACCIDENT

Results in Suit For \$2,500 Against L. & N. Railroad Company.

G. W. Crowder, driver of the Western State Hospital auto truck, has entered suit against the L. & N. Railroad company for \$2,500, alleging personal injuries. Plaintiff states in his petition that he was at the wheel recently when the truck was run into and overturned by one of defendant's trains and that he was thrown to the ground with such force and violence that he sustained serious injuries. He further alleges that the accident was due to the carelessness and negligence of the employees of the defendant company.

From England to Russia.

Intercourse between Russia and England began in the middle of the sixteenth century by the one route that is still open, via the White sea. It was a hazardous and costly voyage, the London Chronicle observes. The crews of two of the three ships with which Richard Chancellor made his first trip in 1553 were frozen to death, Sir Hugh Willoughby among them. On his second venture, in 1556, Chancellor brought back with him a Russian ambassador, Oslip Neja. Two of the ships were never heard of again, and the Edward Bonaventura, after four months at sea, was wrecked on the Scottish coast. Chancellor, many of the crew and seven Russians perished, but Oslip Neja was among the survivors, and the English lords and merchants went out in state beyond Shoreditch to welcome this "duke of Muscovia."

LAFAYETTE HOTEL MAN

Lee Thacker, Prominent Citizen, Died Monday Night.

Mr. J. Lee Thacker died at his home in Lafayette Monday night of cancer of the liver, aged 60 years. He was a prominent and highly respected citizen and leaves a family consisting of his wife, two sons and one daughter. Mr. Thacker was formerly proprietor of the Lafayette Hotel, until his failing health forced him to retire from business.

He was a member of the Baptist church and was a devoted Christian. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon and the burial was in the Powell cemetery.

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Went on Warpath.

Edward Applegate, of Jamestown, N. J., killed his wife, wounded his father-in-law and mother-in-law and killed himself.

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